Ag Day Poster Contest

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Rules for the 2014 Contest

Students throughout Shelby County Schools, Private Schools, and Homeschool Groups in *Grades 3-8* are eligible to enter the poster contest.

The Purpose of the Contest is to promote the role and importance of agriculture in our life.

All entries should be in the form of Posters. The <u>Posters must not exceed a size of 11 x 14</u> <u>inches</u> and should be done in <u>markers, paint, pencil, or crayon</u>. Contrasting and bright colors are suggested. We request <u>no</u> 3-D artwork because of framing and laminating on posters.

Entries must be complete – containing the name of entrant, age, grade level, name of school, names of parents or guardian and their mailing address, complete with ZIP Code and telephone number, and the full name of the art teacher or home room teacher. This information should be written on the back of the poster or affix the entry form to the back. Entry Forms can be found at www.agricenter.org. There is *no limit* to the number of posters per school.

Prizes will be \$100 for first-place winners, \$50 for second-place winner, \$25 for third-place winner, and \$50 to teachers of first-place winners. The decision of the judges will be final. WINNING ENTRIES WILL BE FRAMED AND PLACED ON PERMANENT DISPLAY IN AGRICENTER INTERNATIONAL FOR AT LEAST ONE YEAR.

Entries can be mailed

or hand delivered to: Agricenter International 7777 Walnut Grove Rd.

Memphis, TN 38120

<u>Please allow time for the entry to arrive on or before the deadline.</u> Hand delivered entries must be submitted during normal business hours, 8:00 AM until 5:00 PM Monday through Friday, to the Agricenter Administrative Offices. Call 901-757-7777 extension 7100 for hand delivery.

The Grade Levels, Subject of the Drawings, and Deadlines are as follows:

GRADE LEVEL	SUBJECT	<u>DEADLINE</u>
3 and 4	Agriculture Growing Our Country	February 28, 2014
5 and 6	Agriculture Growing Our Country	February 28, 2014
7 and 8	Agriculture Growing Our Country	February 28, 2014

All entries become the property of Agricenter International and cannot be returned. They also may be used in the promotion of agriculture. Adult help is not permitted, and children of the sponsors are not eligible.

^{**}Please consider entering all poster students produce for final judging at Agricenter.